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For: PAPER FEEDING APPARATUS AND IMAGE
FORMING APPARATUS INCLUDING THAT
SAME

Examiner: P. B. Kim

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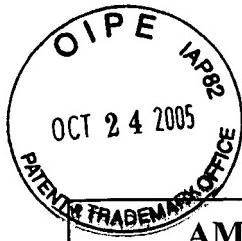
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated April 7, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

- Amended Claim Set; and
- Remarks; and



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Invention: PAPER FEEDING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS INCLUDING THAT SAME				
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
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